





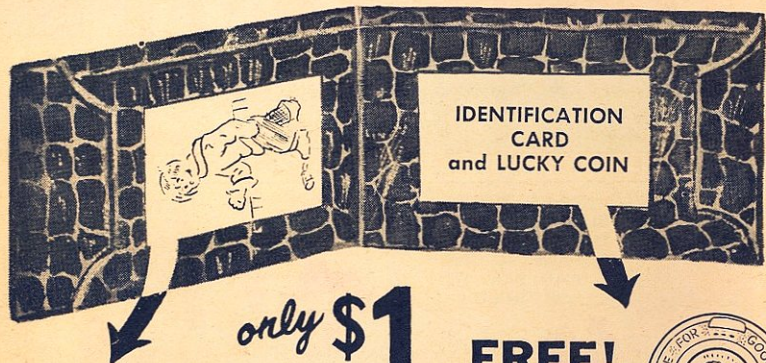
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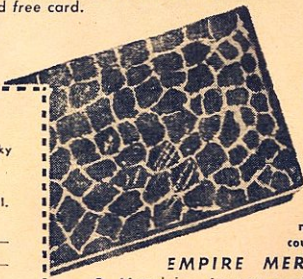
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# BLACK DIAMOND

in "JUDAS OF THE PLAINS"

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YOU NO KILL ME... DUNDEE...THE BLACK DIAMOND NOT LET YOU!

HAW, HAW, HAW! JEST HOW IS HE GONNA STOP ME, RED FIRE? YOU'LL BE ROASTED TO DEATH WHEN THAT SUN IS FULL UP!

THE BLACK DIAMOND WAS A MERCIFUL MAN! HE'D GIVE ANY MAN A BREAK—EVEN A HARDENED CRIMINAL! BUT FOR A MURDEROUS DESPERADO LIKE DAPPER DUNDEE, EVEN ONE BREAK WAS A BREAK TOO MANY!



HAVING BEEN ELECTED SHERIFF OF YAVAPI CITY, BUMPER POSTS HIS FIRST "WANTED" POSTER!

BLACK DIAMOND, WHY YOU NOT FISH TODAY WITH ME LIKE YOU SAY? YOU PROMISE BROKEN!

I DIDN'T BREAK MY PROMISE! THAT HOMBRE ON THE WALL BROKE IT FOR ME!



BLACK DIAMOND WESTERN

BUMPER JUST GOT THE POSTER AND A TELEGRAM TO BE ON THE LOOKOUT FOR DUNDEE! THAT'S MORE IMPORTANT THAN FISHING, RED FIRE!

IN A WAY HUNTING FOR DUNDEE IS LIKE FISHING—FOR A TIGER SHARK THAT IS!

**WANTED REWARD**

BESIDES, WITH BUMPER JUST APPOINTED SHERIFF, HOW WOULD IT LOOK FOR HIS YOUNG DEPUTY TO BE OUT FISHING, WITH A KILLER LIKE DUNDEE LOOSE?

THAT'S RIGHT, RED FIRE! I'M MAKING YOU MY FIRST DEPUTY!

YOU FOOL RED FIRE!

LATER THAT AFTERNOON, AS TWO RIDERS GALLOP IN THE DIRECTION OF YAVAPI CITY...

HOLD UP, LOUIE! I THINK I SEE MY HANDSOME FACE SMILING FROM A REWARD POSTER! YEP! IT'S ME, ALL RIGHT!

... BUT IT DON'T LOOK LIKE YOU NOW, DAPPER!

THE DOPES! WHEN THAT PICTURE WAS TAKEN, YOU HAD A MUSTACHE AND YOUR HAIR WAS DYED 'BLACK! NOBODY'LL RECOGNIZE YOU NOW, DUNDEE!

NOBODY EXCEPT THE BLACK DIAMOND! HE'S IN YAVAPI CITY, WHERE WE'RE HEADED! WHAT THAT CURSED SNOOP DON'T SEE WITH HIS EYES, HE SNIFFS OUT WITH HIS INSTINCT!

**WANTED REWARD**

HE WON'T NOTICE US! WE'RE AS BROKE AS COWPOKES! AN' WORSE LUCK, WE DON'T EVEN HAVE ENOUGH MONEY FOR BULLETS!

YOU GOT ENOUGH LUCK FOR TEN HOMBRES! YOU SHOULD BE DANCIN' AT THE END OF A ROPE NOW... HEY—SPEAKIN' OF DANCIN', DON'T YOU HEAR MUSIC?

IT'S A CARNIVAL! HALF OF YAVAPI MUST HAVE TURNED OUT!

YEAH! LET'S LOOK IT OVER!

CHARITY CARNAVAL

WHAT FER? I AIN'T INTERESTED IN NO CHARITY BAZAAR! LET'S ROB A STAGE-COACH OR SOMETHING!

WHAT— A STAGE-COACH? THE NEAREST STAGE IS 200 MILES AWAY!

THEN HOW ABOUT A LITTLE CATTLE RUSTLING?

NO, LOUIE! THIS'S ONE TOWN WHERE WE'RE GOING TO MAKE LIKE HONEST CITIZENS...UNTIL SOMETHING BIG TURNS UP!



STEP RIGHT UP, GENTLEMEN! TAKE A CHANCE! IT'S A GOOD CAUSE!

HOT COCOA! UGH! LET'S GIT OUTA HERE BEFORE I GIT SICK TO MY STOMACH!

HITCH YOUR HORSE AND WE'LL WALK AROUND!

HOT COCOA! GET YOUR HOT COCOA!

HOT DRINKS



HOLY SMOKES! LOOK AT THAT OLD DAME COUNTIN' THEM SILVER DOLLARS! LEMME AT IT!

STAY PUT, YOU MORON! DO YOU WANT TO SPOIL EVERYTHING FOR A COUPLE OF BUCKS? YOU'LL RUIN THE BEST HIDEOUT IN THE WEST!



YOU HAVEN'T ANY MORE BRAINS IN YOUR HEAD THAN YOU'VE GOT BULLETS IN YOUR SIXER! TAKE IT EASY, UNDERSTAND? I'LL DO THE DECIDING!

OKAY, DAPPER! YOU'RE THE BOSS!

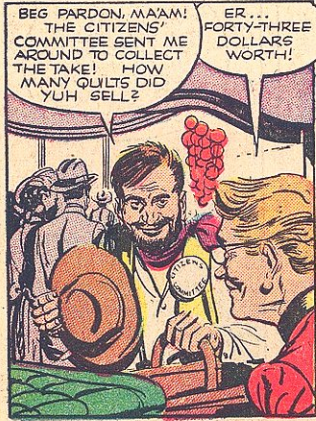
DAPPER MUST BE LOSIN' HIS NERVE! GITTIN' THAT DOUGH IS EASIER THAN PICKIN' BERRIES OFF A BUSH!



HMM... I'LL JUST BORROW THIS BASKET FOR A WHILE! WHEN I GIT BACK, IT'LL BE FULL!



A DRUNK SLEEPIN'! IT OFF! I'LL JUST GYP THE BADGE! HEH-HEH!



BEG PARDON, MA'AM! THE CITIZENS' COMMITTEE SENT ME AROUND TO COLLECT THE TAKE! HOW MANY QUILTS DID YUH SELL?

ER... FORTY-THREE DOLLARS WORTH!



WHY, THAT'S JUST WONDERFUL, MA'AM! KEEP ENOUGH MONEY FUR CHANGE AN' DROP THE REST IN THE COLLECTION BASKET! THAT'S IT!

COME BACK LATER, WON'T YOU? I'LL HAVE MORE MONEY! THESE QUILTS ARE SELLING LIKE HOT CAKES!



LOUIE HEMMING, DAPPER DUNDEE'S SDEKICK, KNEW A GOOD THING WHEN HE SAW IT, SO HE VISITED MORE BOOTHS...

THERE THANK YOU, MA'AM! YOU ARE, SIR... FIFTY-TWO DOLLARS! NOW, COULD A FELLOW WORKER HAVE A SAMPLE OF THE MERCHANDISE?



YOU IDIOT! WHERE DID YOU DISAPPEAR TO? WHAT'VE YOU BEEN UP TO?

G...GOSH, DAPPER, IT WAS SO EASY— LIKE TAKIN' CANDY FROM A BABY! LOOK HOW MUCH I COLLECTED!



DIDN'T I WARN YOU TO LAY OFF? I OUGHT TO KILL YOU!

OWWWW! BUT DAPPER— WE NEED DOUGH— EVEN JUST TO STAY FOR THE NIGHT! IF WE COME INTO TOWN WITHOUT EVEN A NICKEL, WE'D LOOK SUSPICIOUS!



MAYBE YOU'RE RIGHT! ANYWAY IT'S TOO LATE TO DO ANYTHING ABOUT IT! GET ON YOUR HORSE! WE'RE VAMOOOSING!

SOME GRATITUDE! ALL I EVER GIT FER HELPIN' YOU IS A SLAPPIN' AROUND!

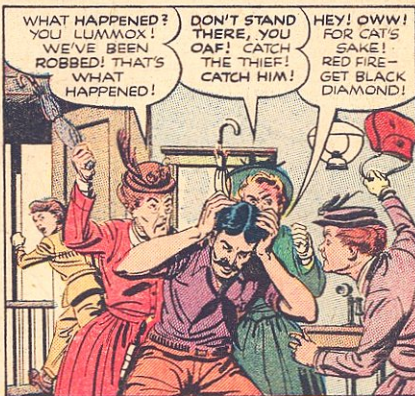
AN HOUR LATER, AS SHERIFF BUMPER IS SOUGHT OUT BY A MOB OF SCREECHING WOMEN...



YOU'RE SOME SHERIFF, ALLOWIN' CRIMINALS TO WALK AROUND LOOSE WITH COLLECTION BASKETS!

WHY, THE ROGUES MADE OFF WITH TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS! IT'S DISGRACEFUL!

BUT LADIES, IF YOU'LL JUST QUIET DOWN AND EXPLAIN WHAT HAPPENED!



WHAT HAPPENED? YOU LUMMOX! WE'VE BEEN ROBBED! THAT'S WHAT HAPPENED!

DON'T STAND THERE, YOU OAF! CATCH THE THIEF! CATCH HIM!

HEY! OWWW! FOR CAT'S SAKE! RED FIRE— GET BLACK DIAMOND!



MINUTES LATER, AS THE BLACK DIAMOND ARRIVES ON THE SCENE...

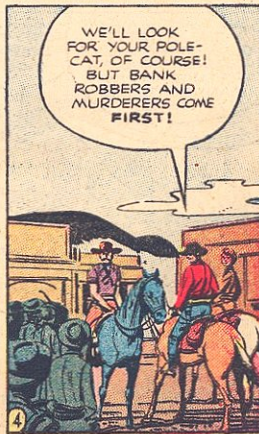
ALL RIGHT, BREAK IT UP! IF YOU ARE LADIES, ACT LIKE LADIES!

DON'T YOU LECTURE US! SOME LAW-OFFICERS YOU ARE, LETTING A CRIMINAL OPERATE UNDER YOUR NOSES!



BUMPER WILL FIND YOUR SNEAK THIEF, BUT RIGHT NOW WE'VE GOT A BIGGER THING ON OUR MINDS— LIKE THIS FELLOW!

THAT'S RIGHT! DAPPER DUNDEE WAS REPORTED HEADED THIS WAY!



WE'LL LOOK FOR YOUR POLE-CAT, OF COURSE! BUT BANK ROBBERS AND MURDERERS COME FIRST!



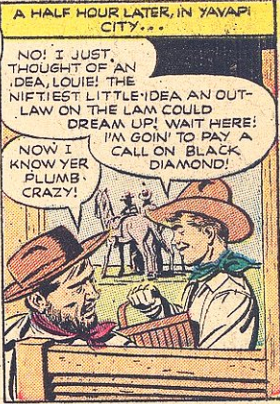
GOLLY, BLACK DIAMOND! I'D RATHER TANGLE WITH A WILDCAT THAN REASON WITH A BUNCH OF CACKLING FEMALES!

WE'LL MEET YOUR WILDCAT IN PAPER DUNDEE! LET'S TAKE A CANTER AROUND THE CANYON!



WELL, WE LOOKED EVERYWHERE FOR AN HOMBRE WITH BLACK HAIR AND A MUSTACHE! THERE'S SURE LOTS OF 'EM BUT NONE LOOKS LIKE DUNDEE!

LET'S GET BACK TO HEADQUARTERS! MAYBE SOME NEWS CAME IN!



A HALF HOUR LATER, IN YAVAPI CITY...  
NO! I JUST THOUGHT OF AN IDEA, LOUIE! THE NIFTIEST LITTLE IDEA AN OUT-LAW ON THE LAM COULD DREAM UP! WAIT HERE! I'M GOING TO PAY A CALL ON BLACK DIAMOND!  
NOW I KNOW YER PLUMB CRAZY!



JUMPING JOSEPH! THAT'S THE BASKET! THE ONE THE CARNIVAL CROOK USED!

THEN YOU RECOGNIZE IT, TOO? ME AND MY PAL WERE HELD UP BY SOME CROOKS BUT WE GOT THE JUMP ON THEM! SUDDENLY I RE- COGNIZED THIS BASKET! I'D SEEN IT AT THE CARNIVAL!



THE CROOK SEEMED TO BE SORRY, SO I LET HIM GO! I BELIEVE IN GIVING A MAN A SECOND CHANCE IF I THINK HE MEANS IT, DON'T YOU, SHERIFF?

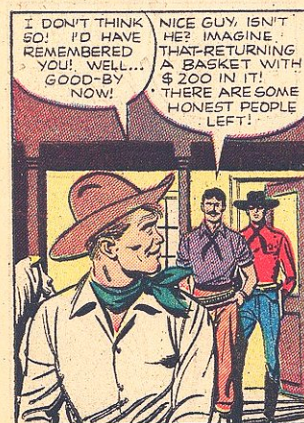
THIS IS RIGHT KIND OF YOU, MISTER! ISN'T THERE SOME WAY WE CAN SHOW OUR APPRECIATION?



YOUR GRATITUDE IS APPRECIATION ENOUGH! PERHAPS SOME DAY YOU CAN DO ME A FAVOR!

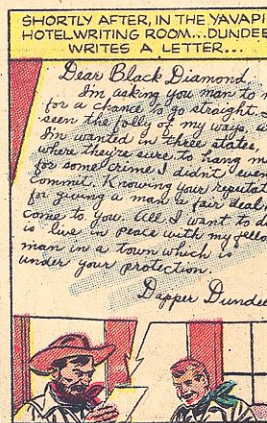
WE'LL ONLY BE TOO GLAD TO... EH, BLACK DIAMOND?

BY THE WAY YOU LOOK FAMILIAR TO ME! HAVE WE MET SOMEWHERE ELSE?



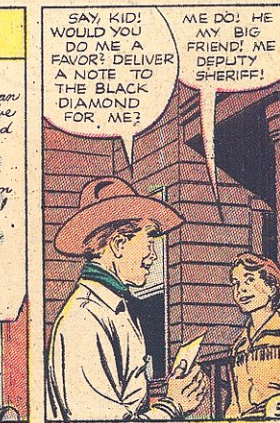
I DON'T THINK SO: I'D HAVE REMEMBERED YOU! WELL... GOD-BY NOW!

NICE GUY, ISN'T HE? IMAGINE THAT! RETURNING A BASKET WITH \$200 IN IT! THERE ARE SOME HONEST PEOPLE LEFT!



SHORTLY AETER, IN THE YAVAPI HOTEL WRITING ROOM...DUNDEE WRITES A LETTER...

*Dear Black Diamond,  
I'm asking you man to man for a chance to go straight. You seen the folly of my ways, and you wanted to take states, where they're sure to hang me for some crime I didn't even commit. Knowing your reputation for giving a man a fair deal, I come to you. All I want to do is live in peace with my fellow man in a town which is under your protection.  
Dapper Dundee.*

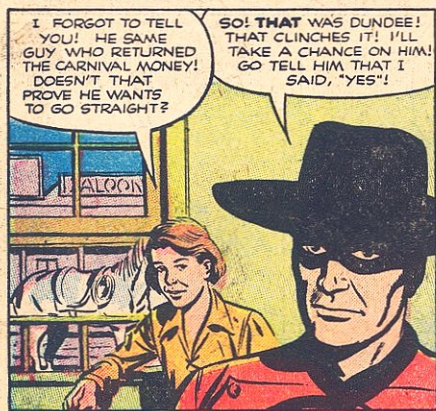


SAY, KID! WOULD YOU DO ME A FAVOR? DELIVER A NOTE TO THE BLACK DIAMOND FOR ME?

ME DO! HE MY BIG FRIEND! ME DEPUTY SHERIFF!



BLACK DIAMOND WESTERN



BLACK DIAMOND WESTERN

AN HOUR LATER, IN YAVAPI CITY...



I GUESS THIS IS THE SOMETHIN' BIG WE WERE WAITIN' FOR, LOUIE!



ALL RIGHT! I'LL MEET YOU AT FOUR A.M. HALF-WAY 'DOWN THE TRACKS—BY THE HORSESHOE TURN!



THAT NIGHT, AT 2:30 A.M. RED FIRE OBSERVES DUNDEE RISE AND MAKE SILENTLY FOR THE CARTRIDGE BOX...



HE STEALING CARTRIDGES!



WE GOING TO FOLLOW HIM!



AN HOUR LATER, DUNDEE MEETS LOUIE AT HORSESHOE TURN...



TWO MINUTES LATER, AS THE HANDCAR ROUNDS THE BEND...



OKAY—NOW TOSS OUT THAT PAYROLL!



**BLACK DIAMOND WESTERN**

BACKTRACKING A HALF MILE, DUNDEE NOTICES SOMETHING...



NOW LET'S HEAD FER THE MEXICAN BORDER BEFORE THE BLACK DIAMOND COMES AFTER US!

THERE'S JUST ONE WAY TO GUARANTEE THAT HE WON'T! I'M GOIN' BACK TO PUT A BULLET IN HIM!



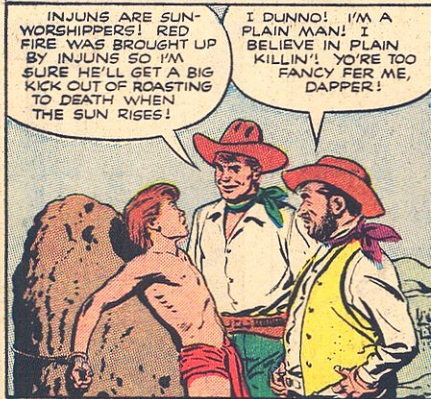
**LOUIE! LOOK!**  
TWO SETS OF HOOFPRINTS! THEY'RE NOT YOUR TRACKS! I'VE BEEN FOLLOWED!

WHOEVER TRAILED YOU MUST BE TRAILIN' YUH! ETILL! LET'S HIDE BEHIND THAT BOULDER AND SEE!



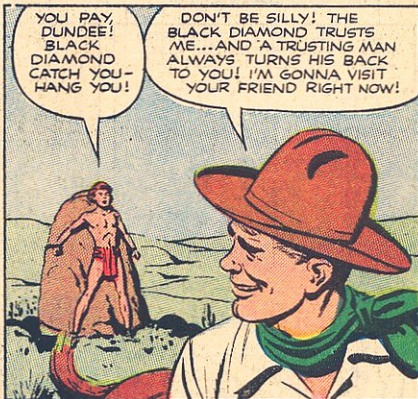
IT'S THE KID—IT'S RED FIRE! WHY I'LL BLOW HIS MEDDLIN' LITTLE HEART OUT!

**NO! I'VE GOT A BETTER IDEA! GRAB HIM!**



INJUNS ARE SUN-WORSHIPERS! RED FIRE WAS BROUGHT UP BY INJUNS SO I'M SURE HE'LL GET A BIG KICK OUT OF ROASTING TO DEATH WHEN THE SUN RISES!

I DUNNO! I'M A PLAIN MAN! I BELIEVE IN PLAIN KILLIN'! YO'RE TOO FANCY FER ME, DAPPER!



YOU PAY, DUNDEE! BLACK DIAMOND CATCH YOU—HANG YOU!

DON'T BE SILLY! THE BLACK DIAMOND TRUSTS ME...AND A TRUSTING MAN ALWAYS TURNS HIS BACK TO YOU! I'M GONNA VISIT YOUR FRIEND RIGHT NOW!



WHEN DUNDEE RETURNS HE STEALS BACK INTO BED—TO AWAIT HIS CHANCE TO DESTROY HIS TRUSTING ENEMY...

WAKE UP, DAPPER! THERE'S BEEN A HOLDUP AND A SHOOTING DOWN THE TRACKS! YOU'RE JOINING US!

WHERE'S THE RED FIRE?  
DARN THE KID! HE MUST BE FISHING!



SHORTLY AFTER, AS MEN ARE RECRUITED FOR THE POSSE, LOUIE HEMMING INCLUDED...

DON'T YUH THINK WE OUGHTA GIT THE BLAZES OUTA HERE INSTEAD OF HUNTIN' FER OURSELVES?!

YES, BUT WE MUST DO A LITTLE JOB ON BLACK DIAMOND FIRST! WE'LL GET HIM AN' BUMPER ALONE!



BLACK DIAMOND—WE OUGHT TO SPLIT UP! WHY DON'T WE GO WEST WHILE THE REST OF THE POSSE HEADS EAST!

A GOOD IDEA! IF YOU FIND ANY CLUES, TELEGRAPH THE RAILROAD CAMP! WE'LL BE THERE!



BUMPER!  
LOOK! HOOF-  
PRINTS OF  
THREE  
HORSES! IT'S  
A TRAIL!

OKAY! WE GOT  
'EM ALONE! LET  
'EM HAVE  
IT!



LOOK OUT  
BLACK DIAMOND!  
THEY'RE OUT  
TO KILL  
US!

BANG!  
BANG!



SUDDENLY, A WHITE BLUR FLASHES  
OUT OF A CANYON PASS...

KEEP GOING,  
WHITE  
LIGHTNING!  
CHARGE  
THEM!



IT'S THE KID!  
HE GOT FREE!  
I TOLD YOU TO  
FINISH HIM OFF!  
BUT NO! YUH  
HAD TO GIT  
FANCY!

YOU MAD  
DOGS HAVE  
PULLED YOUR  
LAST  
TRIGGER!



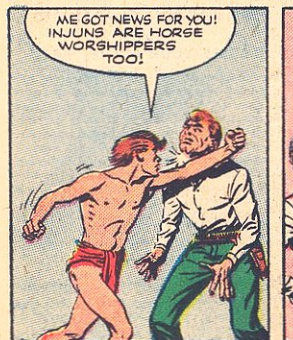
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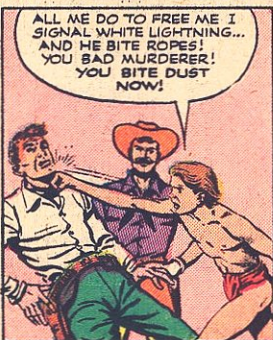


HOLD SHOT,  
BUMPER!  
ME GOT  
HIM!

GOOD  
BOY,  
RED  
FIRE!



ME GOT NEWS FOR YOU!  
INJUNS ARE HORSE  
WORSHIPPERS  
TOO!



ALL ME DO TO FREE ME I  
SIGNAL WHITE LIGHTNING...  
AND HE BITE ROPES!  
YOU BAD MURDERER!  
YOU BITE DUST  
NOW!



THE NEXT DAY WITH DUNDEE AND LOUIE  
IN JAIL, THE THREE WESTERNERS MAKE  
MORE PLEASANT PLANS!

NOW DUNDEE  
NO MORE TROUBLE!  
YOU KEEP OLD  
PROMISE!

TO GO FISHING  
WITH YOU? LEAD  
ON, RED FIRE!  
YOU DESERVE TO  
LAND A WHALE  
FOR YESTERDAY'S  
WORK!

THE END

**BLACK DIAMOND**

KNOWS THAT ONE OF TWO PATHS HAS BEEN  
MINED FOR HIS DEATH! HE MUST MAKE A  
CHOICE, BUT HE MAY LOSE EITHER WAY, FOR  
AT THE END OF THE SAFE PATH AWAIT TWO NOTORIOUS BROTHERS, BOTH  
SWORN TO ASSASSINATE BLACK DIAMOND!

DON'T MISS

**THE KILL-BENT BROTHERS**

IN THE NEXT AND  
BEST BLACK DIAMOND  
WESTERN EVER!

# YOU CAN DO SOMETHING ABOUT PIMPLES

Acne, Blackheads, and other externally caused Skin Blemishes

Same Type Medication Used in Clinical Tests Reported in Jan. 1952 Reader's Digest (pg. 81) is Available To You

**W**HEN pimply skin is your problem, the first thing to get straight is that you *can* and *should* do something about it. To develop the attractiveness of your face is not mere vanity. It is an "open sesame" towards bringing the real YOU closer to other people and giving your personality the poise and confidence it needs. Your good qualities — intelligence, character, dignity — all go to naught... are completely cancelled out by a skin that "nobody loves to touch." Remember, the YOU that people see first is your face.

## SKIN PROBLEMS DEMAND IMMEDIATE CARE

Medical statistics tell us that blemished skin usually occurs from adolescence on through adult life. The problem at the adolescent stage is serious enough to deserve attentive care as a family matter. In adulthood, when life's responsibilities are so much weightier, it is doubly important to exert great effort to eliminate these blemishes. And, there is no better time to get pimples under control than now.

## DON'T ABUSE SKIN

The first instinctive reaction to pimples and blackheads is to squeeze them out with your fingers. A bit of experimentation along these lines soon provides convincing proof that this succeeds only in inflaming your skin and spreading the infection. Under no circumstances should pimples and blackheads ever be squeezed.



## SKIN COLORED MEDICATION CONCEALS PIMPLES INSTANTLY WHILE IT WORKS

Let's take a look through the microscope to see what's behind those unsightly pimples. The high-powered lenses show your skin coated with a covering which originated from two sources—one, internally and the other, externally.

The internal substances on your skin include dead cells, residue from the sweat glands, and a high quantity of oil excreted by the sebaceous glands. A most important factor in skin disorders occurs when thousands of these tiny sebaceous glands discharge more oil than the skin can use for lubrication. Unless special care is given, the oil forms a heavy film which attracts foreign matter to your skin much as any oil mop picks up dust. These infectious external substances may be classified into three general groups:

1. Airborne materials such as dust, pollens, condensation products of smoke, vapors, etc.
2. Materials brought in contact with the skin, such as tiny fragments of clothing, bedding, cosmetics.
3. Micro-organisms such as bacteria and fungi.

See the difference between a healthy skin and a pimply skin in the microscopic reproductions below.



**A.** Normal skin  
**B.** Sick, pimply skin  
Diagram A shows a normal-size, smoothly functioning sebaceous gland. Diagram B pictures sick, pimply skin. Notice that the sebaceous gland is a swollen mass of trapped oil, waste and infectious bacteria.

## TRY THIS SENSIBLE WAY

Two sensible aims to achieve in controlling this skin condition are: to clear the pores of clogging matter, and to inhibit the excessive oiliness of the skin. Toward these ends, Dornol Products' research makes available two formulas. One is to aid in thorough cleansing by highly detergent penetration which simplifies the removal of waste and foreign matter. The other is to discourage oiliness with clinically-proved ingredients, and to kill infec-



tious bacteria often associated with externally caused pimples and blackheads.

## BLEMISHES COVERED UP

To remove the distressing embarrassment of these skin blemishes, the second Dornol formula exerts a "cover-up" action on your broken out skin while the medication does its work. This, plus its pleasant odor, will spare you the mental distress which is associated with unsightly, malodorous, medicated preparations. Imagine! You can apply this Dornol formula to your skin by day and face the immediate present with greater confidence in your appearance. While secure in the knowledge that medication is acting to remove old blemishes and keep away new ones. What this "cover-up" action alone is worth in peace of mind is beyond calculation. No longer need prying eyes make you wince with humiliation and misery. Now because of this wonderful feature of the Dornol treatment, you can put your best foot forward... at once!

## SATISFACTION GUARANTEED OR DOUBLE YOUR MONEY BACK

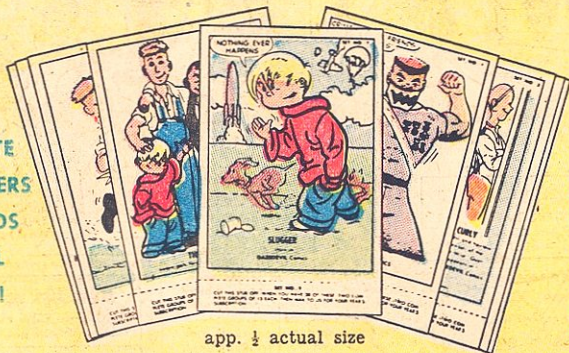
We know what the Dornol treatment has done for others, so we want you to try it at our risk. A few minutes a day invested in our treatment can yield more gratifying results than you ever dared hope for. This is what we say to you: If you are not delighted in every way by the improved condition and general appearance of your skin in just 10 days, simply return the unused portion and we will refund not only the price you paid — but **DOUBLE YOUR MONEY BACK!** Can anything be fairer than that? You have everything to gain... and we take all the risk!

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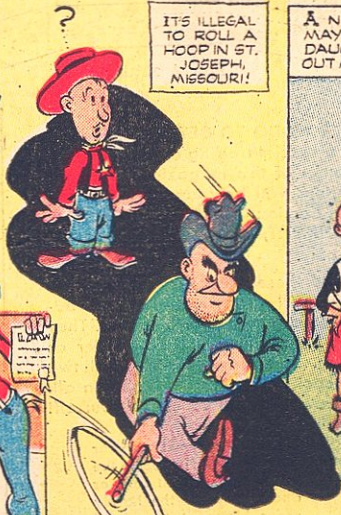
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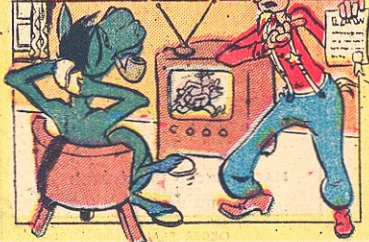
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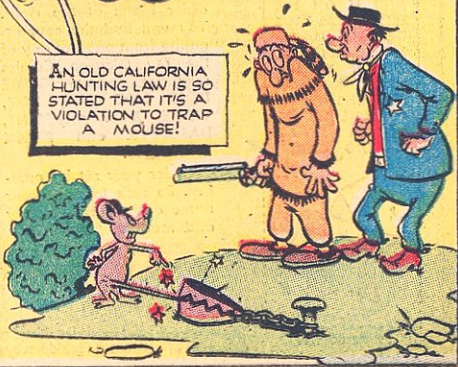
A NEBRASKA MOTHER MAY NOT WAVE HER DAUGHTER'S HAIR WITHOUT A PROPER LICENSE!



A HORSE CAN'T BE KEPT IN AN IOWA APARTMENT!



AN OLD CALIFORNIA HUNTING LAW IS SO STATED THAT IT'S A VIOLATION TO TRAP A MOUSE!



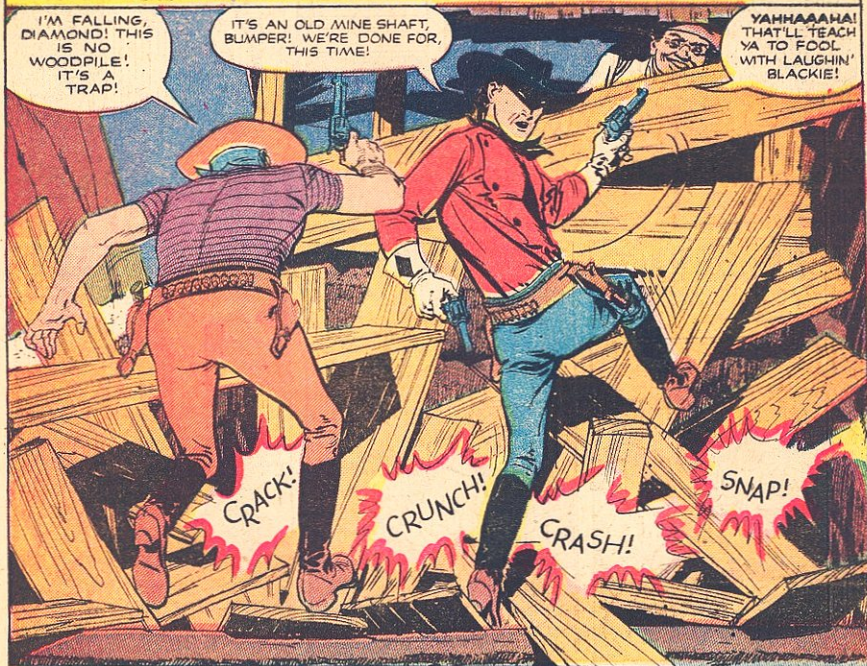
THE ONLY VEHICLE A DRUNK MAY OPERATE ON KANSAS HIGHWAYS IS A WHEELBARROW!



WHAT HAPPENS WHEN

# BLACK DIAMOND

meets "LAUGHIN' FAT BLACKIE"  
THE MEANEST CRITTER WHO EVER TOTED A GUN?



I'M FALLING, DIAMOND! THIS IS NO WOODPILE! IT'S A TRAP!

IT'S AN OLD MINE SHAFT, BUMPER! WE'RE DONE FOR, THIS TIME!

YAHHAHAHA! THAT'LL TEACH YA TO FOOL WITH LAUGHIN' BLACKIE!

CRACK!

CRUNCH!

CRASH!

SNAP!

IN A SMALL WESTERN TOWN, THE BLACK DIAMOND AND HIS PAL, BUMPER, ARE COMPLETING SOME IMPORTANT GOVERNMENT BUSINESS WITH BANK PRESIDENT, CLUTHBERT J. PENNY CONCERNING LARGE DEPOSITS OF CURRENCY FOR THE ARMY PAYROLL...

UNNOTICED BY BLACK DIAMOND AND BUMPER, FOUR ARMED MEN SLIP SILENTLY INTO THE BANK! THEY PAUSE BRIEFLY TO LOOK ABOUT AND THEN...

SO, GENTLEMEN, UNTIL THE NEW SAFE ARRIVES, I'LL NEED EXTRA PROTECTION TO GUARD THE BANK! WHAT WITH LARGE DEPOSITS OF GOLD AND SILVER FROM THE NEW MINES AND ALL, I'LL HAVE TO KEEP SOME OF IT STACKED OUT HERE ON THE FLOOR!

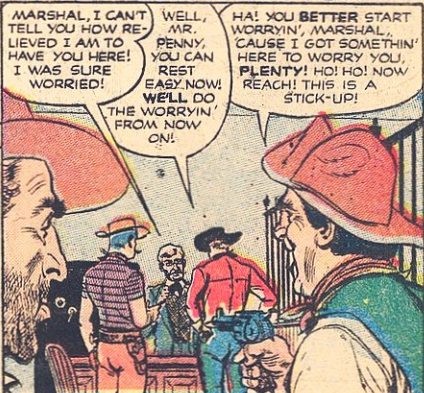
THAT'S WHY WE'RE HERE, MR. PENNY... WE'LL PROTECT YOU UNTIL WE'RE SURE THE GOVERNMENT FUNDS ARE SECURE!

WHEW! IT'S SURE HOT TODAY!

MARSHAL, I CAN'T TELL YOU HOW RELIEVED I AM TO HAVE YOU HERE! I WAS SURE WORRIED!

WELL, MR. PENNY, YOU CAN REST EASY NOW! WE'LL DO THE WORRYIN' FROM NOW ON!

HA! YOU BETTER START WORRYIN', MARSHAL, 'CAUSE I GOT SOMETHIN' HERE TO WORRY YOU, PLENTY! HO! HO! NOW REACH! THIS IS A STICK-UP!





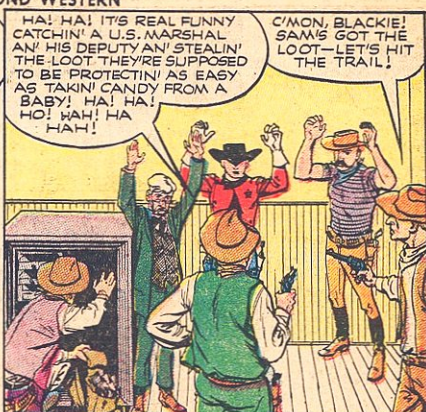
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GET BACK AGAINST THE WALL, THE THREE OF YOU! SQUINT, YOU KEEP WATCH! SAM, FILL THAT SADDLE BAG WITH THAT CRISP NEW CURRENCY IN THE SAFE! DUTCH AN' I WILL KEEP THESE LAW MEN REAL QUIET!

RIGHT, BLACKIE!

THE FIRST ONE WHO MAKES A MOVE CATCHES LEAD!



HA! HA! IT'S REAL FUNNY CATCHIN' A U.S. MARSHAL AN' HIS DEPUTY AN' STEALIN' THE LOOT THEY'RE SUPPOSED TO BE PROTECTIN' AS EASY AS TAKIN' CANDY FROM A BABY! HA! HA! HO! WAH! HA HAH!

C'MON, BLACKIE! SAM'S GOT THE LOOT—LET'S HIT THE TRAIL!



I'M READY, BOYS! NOW YOU PEACE OFFICERS JUST STAY PEACEFUL AND NOBODY'LL GET HURT, UNDERSTAND? HA! HA! HE! HE! HO! HO!



WHY, THAT NO-GOOD HYENA! I DON'T CARE FOR HIS BRAND OF HUMOR! COME ON, DIAMOND, LET'S...

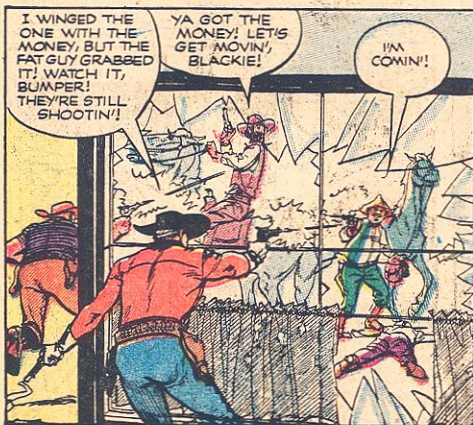
EASY, BUMPER, HE'LL HAVE THE DROP ON US TILL HE REACHES THAT DOOR! JUST ONE MORE MINUTE, THEN...



NOW, BUMPER! POUR IT AT 'EM!

EEOW! COVER US, BLACKIE!

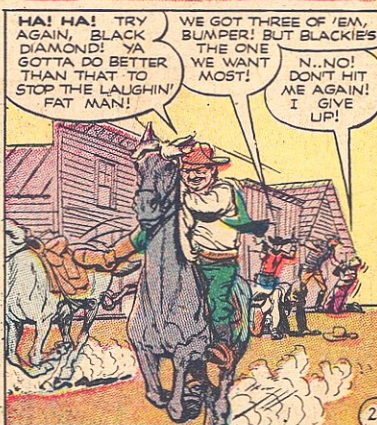
I AM GET THE HORSES READY!



I WINGED THE ONE WITH THE MONEY, BUT THE FAT GUY GRABBED IT! WATCH IT, BUMPER! THEY'RE STILL SHOOTIN'!

YA GOT THE MONEY! LET'S GET MOVIN', BLACKIE!

I'M COWIN'!



HA! HA! TRY AGAIN, BLACK DIAMOND! YA GOTTA DO BETTER THAN THAT TO STOP THE LAUGHIN' FAT MAN!

WE GOT THREE OF 'EM, BUMPER! BUT BLACKIE'S THE ONE WE WANT MOST!

N..NO! DON'T HIT ME AGAIN! I GIVE UP!



IN ANSWER TO HIS MASTER'S CALL, BLACK DIAMOND'S GREAT HORSE, RELIAPON, CHARGED FORWARD, WITH EL LOBO, HIS OBEDIENT PARTNER BY HIS SIDE...



FAT BLACKIE TURNED HIS HORSE IN TO THE DECEPTIVE ROCK FORMATIONS THAT RIMMED THE VALLEY AND STARTED UP THE STEEP SLOPE!



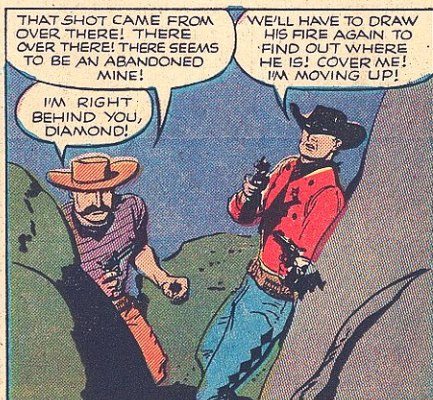
UH-OH! THERE THEY ARE! I DON'T HAVE MUCH TIME TO PREPARE THEIR RECEPTION AT THE MINE SHAFT!

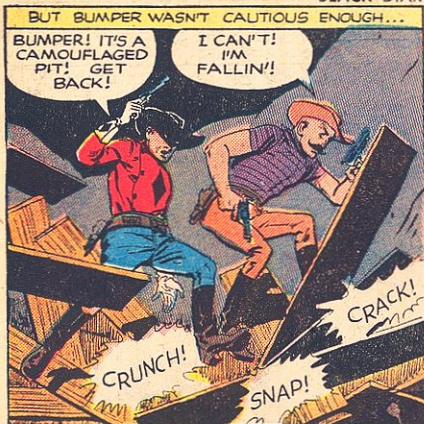


HERE IT IS—MY OLD HIDEOUT! NOW FOR THE TRAP! THIS'LL BE THE END OF THE BLACK DIAMOND!



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AFTER MOUNTING HIS HORSE, BLACKIE PAUSES A MOMENT TO SECURE THE POUCH HOLDING THE STOLEN MONEY, TO HIS SADDLE...

THERE, THAT'LL HOLD IT! LET'S GO, BOY!



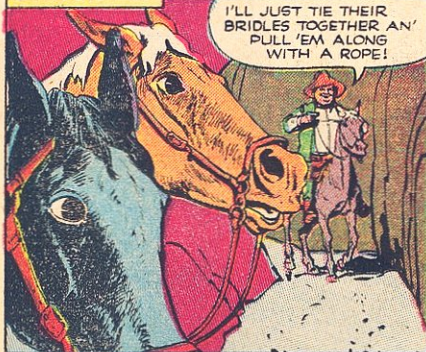
... WHEELING HIS HORSE AROUND, BLACKIE PLUNGED DOWN THE ROCKY MOUNTAIN SLOPES, WHERE HE FOUND RELIAPON AND EL LOBO, WAITING FOR THEIR MASTERS...

OH-HO! MORE LOOT! THOSE TWO NAGS SHOULD BRING ME A PRETTY PENNY ACROSS THE BORDER!



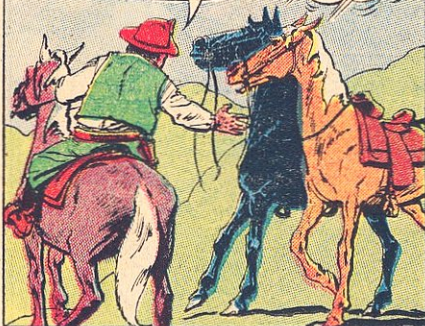
...THEIR EARS LAID BACK IN SUSPICION, RELIAPON AND EL LOBO WATCH WITH WARY EYE THE APPROACH OF AN ENEMY...

I'LL JUST TIE THEIR BRIDLES TOGETHER AN' PULL 'EM ALONG WITH A ROPE!



EASY, BOYS—THERE... I AIN'T GONNA HURT YA! JUST STAND THERE AND...

SNORT  
SNORT



WHY, YOU MEAN CRITTER!

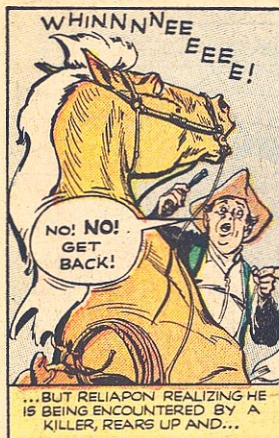


AS RELIAPON LUNGES AT HIM, BLACKIE GRABS HIS GUN AND...

WHINE  
E  
E  
WHACK!



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WHINNNEE  
EEE!

NO! NO!  
GET  
BACK!

...BUT RELIAPON REALIZING HE IS BEING ENCOUNTERED BY A KILLER, REARS UP AND...



... BEFORE BLACKIE CAN FIRE HE KNOCKS HIM FROM HIS HORSE...

EEIEEE!  
HELP!



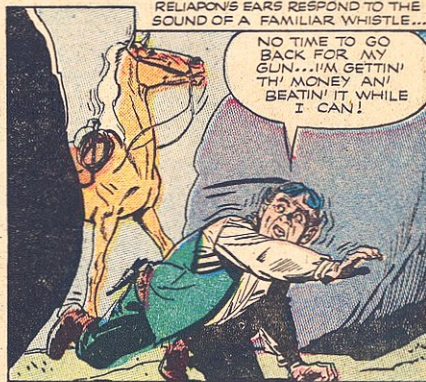
NO! NO!  
DON'T  
TRAMPLE ME  
TO DEATH!

BUT RELIAPON HAD NO SUCH INTENTION...HE WAS ONLY CONCERNED ABOUT KEEPING BLACKIE AWAY FROM HIS GUN...



WHAT TH...  
HE STOPPED!  
NOW IF I CAN  
JUST GET TO  
THOSE  
ROCKS!

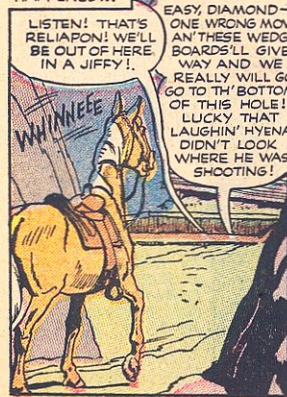
TWEEET!  
TWEET!



RELIAPON'S EARS RESPOND TO THE SOUND OF A FAMILIAR WHISTLE...

NO TIME TO GO  
BACK FOR MY  
GUN...I'M GETTIN'  
TH' MONEY AN'  
BEATIN' IT WHILE  
I CAN!

RELIAPON FOLLOWED HIS MASTER'S URGENT CALL TO THE ABANDONED SHAFT WHERE A MIRACLE HAD HAPPENED...



LISTEN! THAT'S  
RELIAPON! WE'LL  
BE OUT OF HERE  
IN A JIFFY!

EASY, DIAMOND—  
ONE WRONG MOVE  
AN THESE WEDGE  
BOARDS'LL GIVE  
WAY AND WE  
REALLY WILL GO  
GO TO TH' BOTTOM  
OF THIS HOLE!  
LUCKY THAT  
LAUGHIN' HYENA  
DIDN'T LOOK  
WHERE HE WAS  
SHOOTING!



ATTABOY,  
RELIAPON!  
SAY YOUR  
PRAYERS,  
BUMPER! I'M  
GOING TO  
MOVE! THERE!  
I'VE GOT IT!

HURRY,  
DIAMOND!  
IT'S GIVING!  
IF WE GET  
OUT OF THIS  
ALIVE EVEN I  
WON'T BELIEVE  
IT!

CREEK!

SLIP!

CRUNCH!



I'M UP,  
BUMPER!  
HOLD ON  
ONE MORE  
SECOND!  
GOOD OLD  
RELIAPON!

GOOD BOY, DIAMOND!  
I BET THAT FAT  
HOMBRE IS ACROSS  
THE BORDER BY  
NOW! WE'LL BE  
RIDIN' ALL DAY  
IN THE HOT SUN  
TO CATCH HIM!

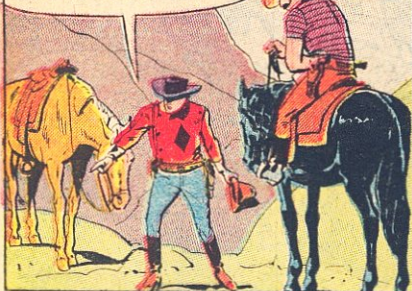
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WITH RELATION'S HELP BLACK DIAMOND AND BUMPER EMERGE FROM THE WRECKAGE...

...BUT AS THEY MOUNT AND START OFF IN PURSUIT...

LOOK, BUMPER—HERE'S WHERE THE HORSES WERE! THERE MUST HAVE BEEN A FIGHT! BLACKIE LOST HIS HAT AND GUN!

I WONDER HOW FAR HE'S GONE!



HOLD IT, BUMPER! LOOK—THAT'S BLACKIE'S HORSE! AND THE SADDLE BAG IS ON HIM!

HE MUST BE NEARBY! HE COULDN'T HAVE GOTTEN FAR IN THIS HEAT ON FOOT!



LET'S HAVE A LOOK AROUND!

"THIS HEAT...IT'S ANWFULL HEAT... C...CAN'T LAST MUCH LONGER... WAIT...THERE HE IS...MY HORSE AN' THE MONEY..."

HEY, BUMPER—THERE HE IS!



HA, HA, BLACKIE, YOU AIN'T LICKED YET! HEE, HEE! WITH THE BLACK DIAMOND OUT OF THE WAY—YOU GOT NOTHIN' TO WORRY ABOUT!

LISTEN TO THAT DIAMOND! HE'S STILL LAUGHIN'! LET'S TAKE HIM!

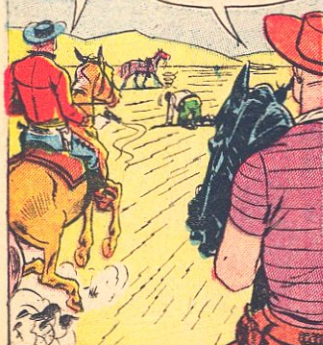
THERE'S NO HURRY, BUMPER! HE'S DELIRIOUS!

THE M...MONEY! I'LL MAKE IT YET! G...GOTTA GET THE MONEY! OH, MY THROAT! I'LL BE R...RICH! G...GOTTA MAKE IT! AAAGH!



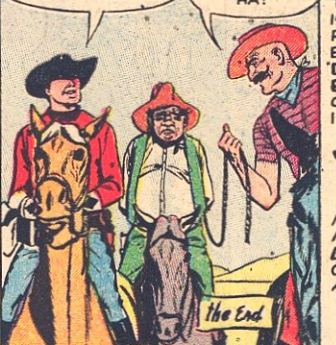
BLACKIE'S COLLAPSED! HE WON'T GIVE US ANY TROUBLE THIS TIME!

LET'S GATHER HIM UP AND HEAD FOR A NICE, COOL PIECE OF SHADE! THIS HEAT IS BEGINNING TO GET ME, TOO!



OUR COMIC, 'LAUGHIN' FAT BLACKIE, ALIAS BLACKIE THE BANK ROBBER DOESN'T SEEM TO THINK THINGS ARE VERY FUNNY NOW!

GUESS HE DOESN'T THINK THAT OLD JOKE, "HE WHO LAUGHS LAST LAUGHS BEST!" IS FUNNY! HA, HA!



AN INNOCENT FAMILY IS IMPERILED BY A THIEVING RENEGADE—THEIR ONLY ESCAPE IS OVER A NARROW ROPE SUSPENSION BRIDGE! **BLACK DIAMOND AND BUMPER ARE HOT ON THE TRAIL... BUT IS IT TOO LATE?**

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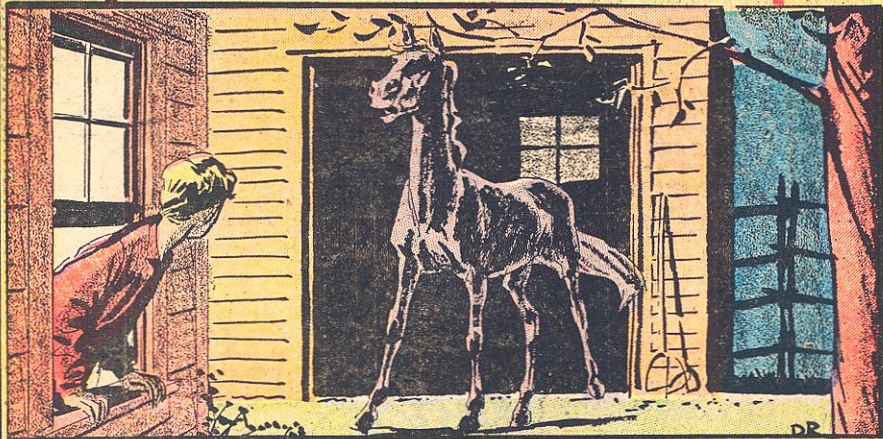
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# Spooper Earned His Keep!



**S**pooper, the palomino colt, was born one cold wintry night. Mr. Conner sat up awaiting Spooper's arrival. Curly Conner, his son, stood by to help. Mr. Conner held a grudge against Spooper which began that night.

Spooper's mother was the pride of Mr. Conner's ranch, The Lazy Valley. In fact, Spooper's mother was the prize palomino west of the Divide. Spooper's arrival into the world almost killed her. For days after the arrival of Spooper his mother was watched and nursed with the utmost care. With the worry over her paramount in the mind of Mr. Conner, Spooper was forgotten. Spooper was rugged, though spindly, and in spite of being ignored by Mr. Conner, Spooper survived.

Spooper was not entirely forgotten. Curly's heart went out to the colt the minute he was born. Curly knew this was the horse for him. Curly had never had a horse of his own and had dreamed of the day he could break a colt and be his master. Now Curly knew that only Spooper would answer his prayer.

The colt grew and grew and became more and more wild. Spooper's mother never fully recovered from the colt's birth and Mr. Conner's antipathy toward Spooper grew. Mr. Conner waited until Spooper was grown enough to be put on the market and away from the Lazy Valley Ranch for good.

As Mr. Conner's grudge against Spooper grew, Curly's attachment for Spooper grew. Curly wanted no other horse, Spooper was the only one for him.

One day in the corral as Spooper was wildly bucking around the yard, Mr. Conner said to Curly, "That colt is almost big enough to sell. We can drive him into town next week."

"Father, you can't sell Spooper! I need a horse and Spooper's the only one I want!" objected Curly.

"Curly, you're too young to have a horse of your own, to say nothing of the job of breaking that critter," answered Mr. Conner.

"But, Dad," pleaded Curly. "I know I can break Spooper. I have to learn sometime."

"That horse is a jinx already, Curly. He's almost ruined his mother. I don't want him to ruin you or me," flatly objected Mr. Conner.

Curly finally realized that his father wasn't as hard-headed as he seemed. Spooper was allowed to stay on a trial basis.

Spooper didn't cooperate very well at first. Spooper was wild and did not want to be broken. Mr. Conner, after having seen Curly tossed to the ground three times by the wild colt, was ready again to haul the colt into town and sell him. But Curly intervened and would have none of it. Curly was determined to break the unruly colt.

Mr. Conner continued to object to the beating Curly was taking from the wild colt. Mr. Conner also objected to the time it was taking Curly to break Spooper. As far as he was concerned this was all lost time on the busy ranch.

Curly learned to talk to Spooper and gradually the two came to understand each other. Spooper now did more and more what Curly wished. But Spooper only did this for Curly. Whenever Mr. Conner approached Spooper, the colt seemed to sense the feeling Mr. Conner had toward him. Then Spooper would go wild and Mr. Conner, even more, wondered why he let Curly fool with this half-witted colt.

Curly tried to win his father's affections ever to the colt but every attempt failed. Spoofer didn't cooperate very well as every time he saw Mr. Conner coming he bucked, tossed his head and threw a loud whinny to the wind.

Curly got up every morning at the crack of dawn and went to the stable. He worked Spoofer out, then returned to the ranch house in time to help his father with the daily chores. Even though Mr. Conner objected to Spoofer he could not object to Curly's determination to keep and break the colt.

When roundup time came, Curly talked Mr. Conner into letting him help bring the cattle in. Curly felt that Spoofer was sufficiently broken to take out on the roundup. All hands set out early one morning, keyed up with the excitement of the occasion.

Spooper was saddled and bridled and Curly rode him proudly as he knew Spoofer would now reflect his months of training. Spoofer behaved magnificently and Curly was proud as the cowboys admired his magnificent palomino. Only Mr. Conner wondered how long Spoofer's good manners would last.

On the range, during the day, Curly became separated from his father. He gave this little thought as he was with one group and his father with another. He knew they'd meet again back at the ranch. The rest of the day Curly thought Spoofer was acting rather strange and excitable, forever pulling in the opposite direction. Curly dismissed these thoughts believing this was merely Spoofer's youth and lack of experience on the roundup.

The first day of the roundup over, Curly returned to the Lazy Valley exhausted, jumped off Spoofer, unsaddled and unbridled him, then turned him loose in the corral. Curly dragged his weary self into the ranch house. He did not notice that his father was not there at first. When he did notice he thought little of the delay. Curly rapidly ate his dinner, climbed the stairs and fell into bed and went fast asleep immediately.

Later that night Curly was awakened by a crash and a loud whinny. He immediately recognized the excitable whinny of Spoofer. Curly raced down the stairs in the direction from which the crash had come.

A window in the kitchen had been smashed in and as Curly approached the damage he again heard Spoofer whinny. Curly ran to the door with a reprimand on his lips for the unmanageable colt. The moment he saw Spoofer, the reprimand died on his lips and he knew something was wrong.

"What is it Spoofer?" queried Curly, half expecting the horse to answer. Spoofer answered as well as could be expected and Curly jumped on his back. Off they raced, out of the yard, past the corral and out onto the

range. On and on the horse galloped with the small, barefoot boy dressed in pajamas on his bare back.

Spooper finally came to the ravine, which Curly had been warned of all his life. It appeared out of nowhere and if you didn't know it was there you could fall down in a second. Spoofer suddenly halted, waited. Curly held his breath wondering what was happening. Then he heard a moan from the depths of the ravine.

Curly jumped from Spoofer's back, crept toward the edge of the ravine and yelled down. A faint voice answered, "Curly?"

Curly cried back, "Dad!"

The barefooted Curly, with the aid of bright moonlight and with his lasso tied around his waist and firmly tied to a stump above, descended into the ravine. The rocks cut his hands and feet, but the moonlight showed him the way and the rope secured him. Finally reaching his father's side he learned what had happened.

Mr. Conner had been riding Rusty. Rusty was a fine horse but had some eccentricities which Mr. Conner fully understood. Just as they rode up to the ravine, a jack rabbit had appeared from nowhere. Rusty shied, Mr. Conner was thrown and rolled down the side of the ravine. After his fall Mr. Conner was in surprisingly good shape except that one of his legs screamed with pain every time he moved it.

Curly realized he could not get his father out alone, so he left him there and climbed up the rocky wall. Then he jumped on the back of his waiting Spoofer and raced toward the ranch.

Several of the cowboys tumbled out of bed, hearing of the emergency. They jumped on their horses and raced to the ravine.

With lassoes and the help of many willing and strong arms, Mr. Conner was carried to the top of the ravine, unharmed except for his painful leg.

As they rode back to the ranch, Mr. Conner, on an improvised stretcher in the hay wagon, said to Curly who sat by his side, "I give up, Curly. Spoofer has everything and more than his mother. I guess 50% of it is from the good training you've given him."

"I knew you'd see my way sometime, Dad. I'm sorry it took a tumble down the ravine for you to learn. I wonder how Spoofer found you?"

"I don't know," mused Mr. Conner. "Those palominos are almost human. I guess Spoofer didn't see me ride in on Rusty and thought something was wrong."

"Maybe Spoofer asked Rusty," laughed Curly. "We'll never know."

THE END

# BLACK DIAMOND

## IN "KING OF SCOUNDRELS"



BLACK DIAMOND WESTERN

IN THOSE DAYS AND PLACES THERE WERE FEW HONEST MEN! SO IT TOOK HIM LITTLE TIME TO ENLIST TWO OUTLAWS TO SERVE UNDER HIS COMMAND!



WHICH ONE OF YOU COWPOKES CAN WRITE?

HE WAS TALL AND RANGY AND VAINLY DISPLAYED A LONG BLACK MUSTACHE-LET US WITNESS HIS BLOODY CAREER FROM THE TIME HE BEGAN HIS DRIVE FOR THE RULE OF TULSA CITY...



I CAN! I'LL WRITE ANY-THING, BUT DON'T SHOOT!

THAT'S FINE! HERE, WRITE A CONFESSION SAYIN' THAT YOU KILLED THESE HOMBRES!



THIS MAKES THE FOURTH CONFESSION I GOT-NOT ONLY DO THEY PROVE THAT WE DIDN'T KILL AN' ROB THESE MEN BUT I'LL BE KNOWN AS THE GREATEST FRIEND OF THE LAW IN THE WEST!



THE NUMBER OF GRAVES DUG BY THE CRAVEN TRIO WILL NEVER BE KNOWN AND NEITHER WILL THE REASON WHY HIS TWO HENCHMEN HELD HIM IN SUCH REVERENCE!

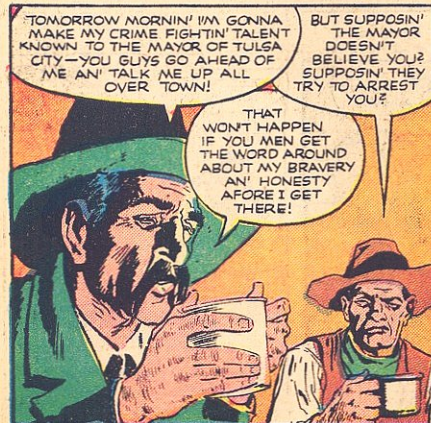
BIXIE, TELL US AGAIN HOW THINGS WILL BE WHEN YOU'RE KING!

WILL YOU KEEP US WITH YOU WHEN YOU BECOME THAT REAL BIG SHOT, BIXIE!



I'M GONNA NEED AMBASSADORS AN' A PRIME MINISTER, AIN'T I? A KING HAS GOTTA HAVE A MINISTER OF WAR, TOO! YOU, TAPPER, CAN BE THAT!

WHAT'S GOZLIN TAPPER, CAN BE YOUR JESTER? HAW! HAW!



TOMORROW MORNIN' I'M GONNA MAKE MY CRIME FIGHTIN' TALENT KNOWN TO THE MAYOR OF TULSA CITY-YOU GUYS GO AHEAD OF ME AN' TALK ME UP ALL OVER TOWN!

BUT SUPPOSIN' THE MAYOR DOESN'T BELIEVE YOU? SUPPOSIN' THEY TRY TO ARREST YOU?

THAT WON'T HAPPEN IF YOU MEN GET THE WORD AROUND ABOUT MY BRAVERY AN' HONESTY AFORE I GET THERE!



BY THE TIME BIXIE CRAVEN ARRIVED AT THE MAYOR'S OFFICE, HE WAS CONSIDERED A CELEBRITY-TAPPER AND GOZLIN HAD SPREAD THEIR PROPAGANDA WELL!

SILENCIN' FOUR KILLERS SORT OF MAKES YOU SUPERHUMAN, MR. CRAVEN!

AN' WHAT'S MORE, GETTIN' HANDWRIT CONFESSIONS FROM 'EM!

YOU DESERVE OUR CITY'S ETERNAL GRATITUDE! MAY I SEE THOSE CONFESSIONS? COME INTO MY OFFICE!

**BLACK DIAMOND WESTERN**

MAYOR PEAT WAS MORE THAN GRATEFUL—HE IMMEDIATELY OFFERED CRAVEN THE SHERIFF'S JOB...

SINCE YOU'RE MAKIN' MY APPOINTMENT OFFICIAL, MISTER MAYOR, ALSO WRITE THAT I CAN ACT AS JUDGE AS WELL AS ARRESTIN' OFFICER! COME IN, BOYS!

THANK HEAVEN YOU CAME TO TULSA CITY, CRAVEN! NOW MAYBE WE'LL HAVE SOME REAL LAW AN' ORDER HERE!

ARRESTIN' OFFICER! COME IN, BOYS!



WITH THAT UNPRECEDENTED POWER IN HAND, CRAVEN MADE A QUICK AND BOLD MOVE!

NOW, MR. MAYOR, AS JUDGE AN' SHERIFF OF TULSA CITY, I ARREST YOU FOR CHEATIN' YOUR HONEST CITIZENS—HANGIN'S TOO GOOD FOR YA—UNLESS YOU'RE WILLIN' TO RESIGN PEACEFUL!

Y...YOU MUST BE J...JOKIN'! WHAT ARE YOU UP TO, CRAVEN?

HE'S NOT JOKIN'!



TAKE YOUR CHOICE, PEAT! EITHER YOU WORK FOR ME AT GOOD PAY, MIND YOU, OR YOU HANG AS A CHEAT!

YOU LEAVE ME NO CHOICE! I WAS A FOOL!



PEAT COULD NOT RESIST THE CONVINCING EFFECT OF MONEY...

NOW WAIT A MINUTE, PEAT! A FOOL CAN'T MAKE A THOUSAND DOLLARS THIS EASY!

A THOUSAND DOLLARS? I DON'T EARN THAT IN A YEAR, CRAVEN!

WHAT'S THE BIG IDEA, BIXIE? THAT'S NEARLY ALL THE CASH WE GOT!



THAT'S NOTHIN' COMPARED WITH HOW MUCH WE'LL BE TAKIN' IN WHEN WE START ESTABLISHIN' SOME NEEDED TAXATIONS!

SURE, WE'LL TAX EVERYBODY FOR WATER AN' STUFF!

YEAH, AN' MAYBE THE AIR, TOO!



THE FOLLOWING DAYS WERE BLOODY FOR THE RULERLESS TOWN! WITH NO ONE TO TURN TO FOR PROTECTION THE CITIZENS WERE BULLIED AND BEATEN INTO COOPERATION...

JONES, I HEAR YOU REFUSED TO PAY A TAX ON YOUR WIFE!

CRAVEN, WE'VE ALL TOOD ABOUT ENOUGH! I'M NOT GOING TO PAY YOU ONE CENT!



TAXES WERE PLACED EVEN ON WIVES—A MAN HAD TO PAY A TAX FOR EVERY CHILD HE HAD! UNTIL...

SEE HOW LITTLE YOUR HUSBAND THINKS OF YOU—HE AIN'T FIT TO LIVE!



ON THE FOLLOWING DAY TWO SPINSTERS WERE TOLD TO PAY UP! PERHAPS THEY JUST DIDN'T LIKE TAPPER'S UNCOUTH MANNER...

THE TAX COLLECTOR, EH? ARE YOU ALONE?

NO, BUT WHAT DIFFERENCE DOES TH... GET HIS GUN, MARY!



BLACK DIAMOND WESTERN

THE CRAVEN TERROR REIGNED UNCHECKED FOR NEARLY A MONTH, AND THAT WAS JUST ABOUT THE TIME THE BLACK DIAMOND WAS MAKING HIS ROUTINE TOUR OF THAT TERRITORY AS U. S. MARSHAL! BUMPER WAS WITH HIM!



DO YOU HEAR HOOF BEATS, DIAMOND?

SLOW WALKING ONES! TWO HORSES I'D SAY!



WATCH IT, BUMPER! THEY'RE MASKED!

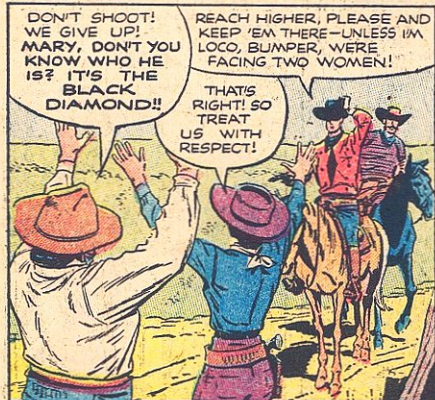
AND ONE IS REACHING FOR HIS PISTOL!



WHY ARE YOU MASKED AND WHAT'S IN THOSE SACKS IN YOUR SADDLES?

IT'LL COST YOU A BULLET IN YOUR HEAD TO FIND OUT! DON'T COME ANY CLOSER! HEY!

WELL, I'LL BE... HE SHOT THE COLT RIGHT OUTA YOUR HAND!



DON'T SHOOT! WE GIVE UP! MARY, DON'T YOU KNOW WHO HE IS? IT'S THE BLACK DIAMOND!!

REACH HIGHER, PLEASE AND KEEP 'EM THERE—UNLESS IM LOCO, BUMPER, WE'RE FACING TWO WOMEN!

THAT'S RIGHT! SO TREAT US WITH RESPECT!

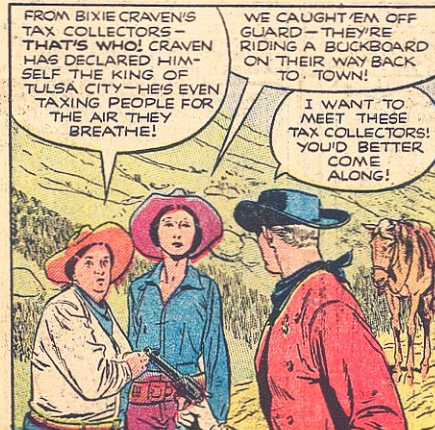


IF YOU DESERVE IT YOU'LL GET IT! GUN-SLINGING WOMEN CAN'T EXACTLY BE CLASSED AS LADIES OF RETIREMENT! WHAT ARE YOU UP TO?



WE'RE ROBBERS! AND WE'RE NOT THE ONLY ONES! EVERY HONEST CITIZEN OF TULSA CITY IS AN OUTLAW! THOSE SACKS CONTAIN GOLD! WE ROBBED IT!

WHO FROM AND WHY?



FROM BIXIE CRAVEN'S TAX COLLECTORS—THAT'S WHO! CRAVEN HAS DECLARED HIMSELF THE KING OF TULSA CITY—HE'S EVEN TAXING PEOPLE FOR THE AIR THEY BREATHE!

WE CAUGHT 'EM OFF GUARD—THEY'RE RIDING A BUCKBOARD ON THEIR WAY BACK TO TOWN!

I WANT TO MEET THESE TAX COLLECTORS! YOU'D BETTER COME ALONG!



THAT'S THEM! THEY'VE KILLED EVERYONE WHO REFUSED TO PAY UP, EVEN OLD MEN AND WOMEN!

IF WHAT THESE LADIES SAY IS TRUE, YOU'LL HANG WITH CRAVEN! NOW DRIVE YOURSELVES TO THE CITY JAIL!

BIXIE CRAVEN ISN'T GONNA LIKE YOU FOR THIS!

BLACK DIAMOND WESTERN



I CAN'T LOCK THESE MEN UP! BIXIE CRAVEN HAS TO FIND 'EM GUILTY, FIRST!

LOCK 'EM UP BEFORE WE DECIDE TO PUT YOU IN WITH 'EM! MAKE IT SNAPPY!

WHERE'S MAYOR PEAT? DON'T TELL ME HE'S IN WITH CRAVEN!

I WANT YOU TWO LADIES TO KEEP OUT OF SIGHT! IF CRAVEN KNEW YOU WOULD SWEAR OUT COMPLAINTS AGAINST HIM... WELL, YOU KNOW WHAT I MEAN...

I'VE SENT FOR THE EX-MAYOR! THIS SHOULD BE INTERESTING!

OF COURSE, HE IS!



I'M THE EX-MAYOR! WHAT DO YOU WANT... BLACK DIAMOND! SAY, YOU'D BETTER GIT IF YOU KNOW WHAT'S GOOD FOR YOU!

I KNOW WHAT WOULD BE GOOD FOR YOU, A CAT OF NINE TAILS, YOU PIG-BRAINED GRAFTER!



ROPE HIM UP, BUMPER! WE'VE GOT LOTS OF BROOM-SWEEPIN' TO DO AROUND HERE, I SEE!

IT'LL BE MY PLEASURE! WHERE IS BIXIE CRAVEN NOW, YOU DOG!

I DON'T KNOW—HEY!!



HE WON'T TELL US! LET'S WAIT HERE! HE'LL BE DROPPING IN SOONER OR LATER!

HERE COMES SOMEBODY— BUT IT'S NOT HIM!



DUCK, DIAMOND! HE'S GUNNING!

FROM THE COMPLIMENTS OF THE KING OF TULSA CITY!



THE KING'S HIRED ASSASSINS DIDN'T GET MUCH TRAINING IN GUN-DUELING! THIS LEAD IS WITH MY COMPLIMENTS!

UGHH...



THINGS ARE SURE STARTING TO HUM! CRAVEN NOW KNOWS WE'RE HERE!

IT'S OBVIOUS NOW! HE HAS NO INTENTION OF COMING HERE TO GET US—WE'LL HAVE TO GO AFTER HIM!

BLACK DIAMOND WESTERN

THE CITY THAT DAY WAS HOT WITH EXCITEMENT—BUMPER AND BLACK DIAMOND WERE ARRESTING CRAVEN COLLABORATORS BY THE DOZEN...



BIXIE IS CAMPIN' NEAR COBBLER'S CREEK! GET OUT THERE AND TELL HIM HE'D BETTER DO SOMETHING ABOUT THIS!



HEY, BIXIE—I MEAN YOUR MAJESTY! YA BETTER DO SOMETHING QUICK! THAT BLACK DIAMOND IS TAKIN' OVER YOUR CITY!

WHAT'CHA GONNA DO, KING? YOU AIN'T AFRAID OF TH' BLACK DIAMOND, ARE YA?

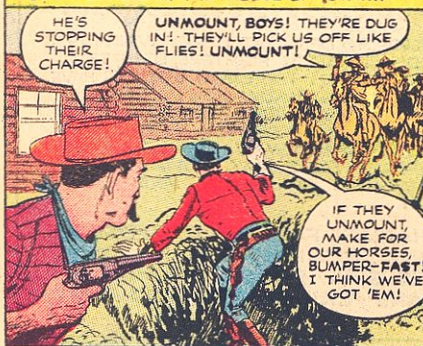


I OUGHT TO CUT YOUR THROAT FER SAYIN' THAT—HOW MANY MEN HAS HE GOT WITH HIM?

ONLY HIM AN' THAT STRONG GUY, BUMPER!

IN THAT CASE, WE RIDE HIM OUT WITH GUNS BLAZIN'!

THE WORD OF CRAVEN'S FANATICAL PLAN REACHED THE EARS OF THE BLACK DIAMOND—HE AND BUMPER DUG A FOXHOLE IN THE MIDDLE OF TOWN...



HE'S STOPPING THEIR CHARGE!

UNMOUNT, BOYS! THEY'RE DUG IN! THEY'LL PICK US OFF LIKE FLIES! UNMOUNT!

IF THEY UNMOUNT, MAKE FOR OUR HORSES, BUMPER—FAST! I THINK WE'VE GOT 'EM!



THEY'RE UNMOUNTING LIKE YOU HOPED! AFTER 'EM—CRAVEN IS RUNNING FOR THAT LOG HOUSE!

I THINK I COULD PICK THE RAT OFF FROM HERE, BUT I'D LIKE HIM ALIVE!

THE CLEVER STRATEGY OF THE BLACK DIAMOND THAT BLOODY AFTERNOON IS STILL TALKED ABOUT! BIXIE CRAVEN HAD AT LAST BEEN BESTED!



YA GOT THE DROP ON ME, DIAMOND! I DROPPED MY GUN! SEE! YOU WOULDN'T SHOOT A DEFENSELESS MAN!

NO, BUT I'D LIKE TO IN THIS CASE—AND WHAT MAKES YOU THINK YOU'RE A MAN?



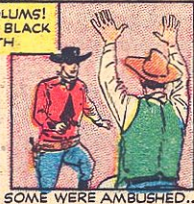
YOU GOT ME WRONG, DIAMOND! I'M A FRIEND OF THE LAW! ASK MAYOR PEAT! I GOT FOUR BONA FIDE CONFESSIONS FROM KNOWN KILLERS!

SURE, SURE! I HEARD ALL ABOUT YOUR GREAT DEEDS OF HEROISM! LET'S GO, YOUR MAJESTY!



BLACK DIAMOND WESTERN

GRAVEN HAD SCORES OF PAID HOODLUMS! EACH ONE HAD TO BE ROUNDED UP! BLACK DIAMOND'S JOB WAS NOT OVER WITH GRAVEN'S CAPTURE...



SOME WERE AMBUSHED...

AFTER THE LAST ARREST, THE FIRST THING BLACK DIAMOND DID WAS THANK THOSE TWO HEROIC SPINSTERS! THEIR TESTIMONY WAS NOT NEEDED FOR BIXIE GRAVEN MADE A FULL CONFESSION BEFORE A FULL COURTROOM, HOPING FOR LENIENCY!



HE CRIED—HE TRIED HYSTERIC, EVEN PRETENDING INSANITY, BUT TO NO AVAIL BECAUSE THE JURY THAT HE FACED WAS MADE UP OF THE HONEST CITIZENS OF TULSA CITY!



OTHERS WERE SHOT IN CHASE...



THERE WERE MANY GUN DUELS...



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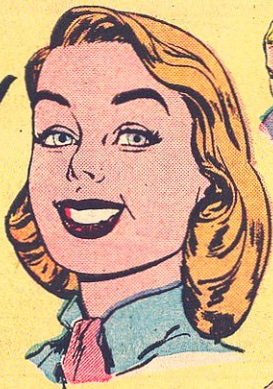
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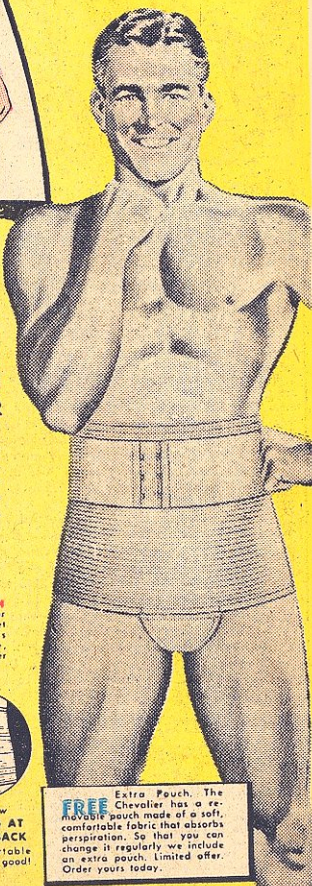
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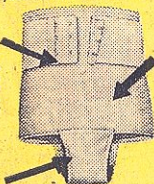
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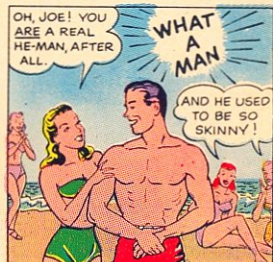
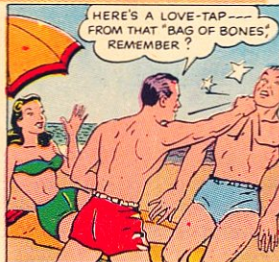
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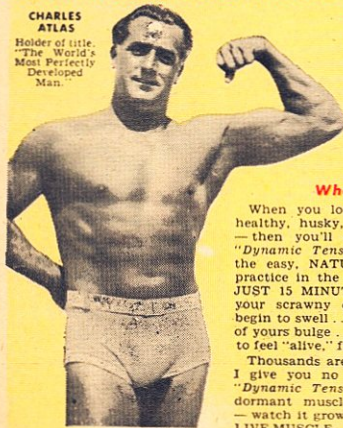
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